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MR. JOHN L. PENNEY desires to thank those owners of Sealing Schooners who gave him their patronage last year, and begs to announce that he has now fitted the above station with all requirements for Sealing Schooners, and is in a position to supply Coal, Water, or any necessaries at the shortest notice, causing as little delay as possible.

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Clayoquot Station is the West Coast Post Office, and receives mail from Victoria bi-weekly. In fact Mr. Penney will endeavor to study the owners' interests to the best of his ability by making his prices as reasonable as possible.

N.B.--Charts of Clayoquot free on application to Messrs. Marvin & Cox, of this city or to himself. ja4-1m

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JUST RECEIVED—Fresh Oolachans, at Vaio & Brooks, 66 Yates street. ja30-1t

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Goods just received per S.S. "Abyssinia."
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NOTICE.

EVENING CLASS.

THE REV. J. WASTIE GREEN (Warden of Victoria College) is prepared to read with gentlemen from 7 o'clock p.m. on and after February 2nd until Easter, in the first instance.

The Spring course (as at present suggested) is as follows, on the English university system: Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, Algebra and Geometry. Tuesdays and Thursdays, Physical Geography. The History of the French Revolution in its political effects on Europe.

Terms and particulars on application. Gentlemen are requested, in writing, to specify the subjects they particularly wish to read. ja30-2w

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I am instructed by E. M. Johnson, Esq., to sell by Public Auction,

TUESDAY, FEB. 10th,

AT 11 A. M., ON

Porter's Wharf, Victoria,

One 16 H. P. Portable Engine, single cylinder, made at Racine, Wis. Spratt & Gray's certificate given if necessary.

ALSO:

A Large Threshing Machine in first-class order, New Apron. The whole outfit cost $2,400; is nearly new. Without reserve.

Satisfactory endorsed notes taken in payment. Can run small sawmill, feed cutting machine and shingle machine, or can be used for general farm purposes.

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I am instructed by Ben. Gordon, Esq., receiver of the Estate of Messrs. Sauer & Co., to sell by

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In front of the Sale Room on Store Street, at 11 a.m. on

Tuesday Next, the 3rd of February

—ALSO—

Stoves, Fishing Rods and Tackle, Decoy Ducks, Pictures, Lanterns, Furniture, Extension Table and a Miscellaneous Lot of Goods. Terms Cash.

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FOUR LOTS IN BLOCK 45, SPRING Ridge, each 60x120. Terms reasonable. Apply WM. McNEILL,
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Pathfinder's Physiology, parts 1 and 2, just received by T. N. Hibben & Co.

EUROPEAN GOSSIP.

Sensation Caused by a Motion to Make Roman Catholics Eligible for the British Crown.

French Expressions of Alarm in Consequence of the Kaiser's Visit to Luxemburg.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—The approaching visit of the Grand Duke of Luxenburg to the German emperor is regarded with no little alarm in France, as there is no doubt but that the object of the visit is to discuss the adoption of a military convention between Prussia and Luxenburg and bring within control of the Germans a place that has been and can again be made the strongest fortress in Europe. Instead of Prussia taking the initiative toward the military annexation of Luxenburg, the Kaiser has carefully held from any proposition of the kind, determined apparently, not to give France any ground for complaint. But the Grand Duke himself is understood to be anxious for the arrangement that will take place Luxenburg in line with the German empire, and provide for the protection of the Duchy in the event of war. Without some arrangement for defence, Luxenburg, should war arise between France and Germany, would be the prey of the first troops that would succeed in reaching it, and these would probably be French, for not much faith is placed by the Luxenburgers in the guarantee of their neutrality by the great powers, now that they are diversed from the crown of Holland.

Gladstone introduced his bill, to-day, to remove the remaining political disabilities of Roman Catholics by enabling members of that faith to hold the offices of Viceroy of Ireland and Lord Chancellor. Sir John Pope Hennessey, in accordance with his announced attention, submitted an amendment that the Sovereign of Great Britain and Ireland should also be permitted to be a Roman Catholic, should the Sovereign see fit to adopt that faith.

The amendment was received with cries of protest from all quarters, irrespective of party. The announcement of Sir John's intention had already stirred to its very depths, the conscience of Protestant England, and Rev. Dr. Parker, in the temple service, to-day, condemned in the strongest language the assault, as he characterized it, on the foundations of the British constitution. The Non-conformists everywhere are greatly excited; indeed, much more than the established church people, who are not disposed to treat the matter as of serious importance. The Liberal leaders are very much hurt that Hennessey should have taken such a step without their consent, which, of course, would never have been given, and they connect his action with the circumstance that since the opening of parliament he has been hobnobbing a good deal, socially, with his old friends, the Tories. Depending as the English Liberals do upon non-conformists' support, it is a question with some of them whether the action of Hennessey is not a more serious blow to the Irish cause in England than was the Parnell divorce exposure. Gladstone has decided to oppose the Hennessey amendment, and, in reply to an inquiry, he has written to the London correspondents of the United Press that his bill had no relation, either in its words or in its policy, to any condition under which the Royal family holds the crown of Great Britain. The Tories and their allies, the dissenting Liberals, are unwilling, however, to look at the matter in that light, as they are holding forth everywhere that Gladstone has permitted himself to be made a tool of, by those who desire to assail the act of settlement and undermine the work of the revolution of 1689.

CAPITAL NOTES.

An Announcement Expected of the Date of the Meeting of Parliament, or Its Dissolution.

[From Our Own Correspondent.]

OTTAWA, Jan. 29.—President Van Horne and other Canadian Pacific Railway officials are here to-day, making their final selection of a land grant.

Sir John returned from Toronto this morning.

It is expected that the announcement will be made to-night, either of the date of meeting of Parliament or its dissolution. No information is forthcoming.

The Minister of Marine has granted a silver watch to an old gentleman named Tunnell, who saved the life of a little boy who was drowning at Gananoque.

CANADIAN NEWS.

The Liberals' Choice.

WELLAND, Jan. 29.—Wm. Germano, of Welland, has been chosen by the Liberals to oppose Dr. Ferguson in the Dominion election.

A Conservative Candidate.

HALIFAX, Jan. 29.—The Conservatives of Annapolis, have nominated J. B. Mills, M. P., to contest the county for the House of Commons. It is understood that he will be opposed by Hon. J. W. Longley.

Keep off the Chaps.

WET, wintry weather causes chapped hands, sore throat, croup, colds, pain in the chest, swellings, etc., for which a certain cure exists in Hagyard's Yellow Oil, the best pain expeller for internal or external use. Keep it on hand in case of emergencies. Every bottle is a little giant in curative power.

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ABDURRAHMAN KHAN.

The Ameer of Afghanistan Joins the Majority—A Few Facts Regarding Him.

BOMBAY, Jan. 29.—Abdurrahman, Ameer of Afghanistan, is reported dead. He had lately been suffering from gout. He was born about 1830, was the eldest son of Afzul Khan and nephew of the late Ameer, Shere Ali. During the civil war, in 1864, he played a leading part on the side of his father against his uncle, and gained several battles. The great victories of Shaikhabad and and Khelat-i-Ghilzai were mainly due to his ability. He was entrusted with the Governorship of Balkh, where he made himself popular by his moderation, and by marrying the daughter of the chief of Badakshan. He remained in Turkestan until 1879, when he slowly made his way through Balkh to the Cabul frontier, and, in July of the following year, was formally chosen by the leading men of Cabul, and acknowledged by the British Indian Government as Ameer of Afghanistan. From the Government he received a regular subsidy of £160,000 a year, with large gifts of artillery, rifles and ammunition to improve his military force.

SECRETARY WINDOM DEAD.

The U. S. Secretary of the Treasury Falls Dead During a Banquet.

Brief Sketch of His Career—His Connection With Many Very Important Concerns.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—The large dining hall at Delmonico's never presented a happier picture than at 6 o'clock, this evening, when the members and guests of the New York Board of Trade and Transportation, more than 250 in number, began the exercises of the annual banquet of that organization; nor was it ever the scene of such profound consternation as that which overcame the company, four hours later, when the principal speaker of the occasion fell from his chair and died a few minutes later. The banquet was of exceptional interest, because of the prominence of the speakers and the significance of the subjects to be discussed. The list of speakers included Secretary Windom, ex-Secretary Bayard, Hon. Wilfred Laurier of Canada, Attorney-General Longley, of Nova Scotia, Secretary of the Navy Tracey, Attorney-General Miller and Murat Halstead. Major McKinley and Congressman Breckenridge of Kentucky sent regrets.

The Secretary was the first speaker of the evening. The dinner, which began a six o'clock, was completed shortly after nine, and the Secretary rose to speak. He entertained the diners with a most elaborate oration, and sat down amidst the loud applause of his auditors. Judge Arnoux then got up, and was in the midst of his speech, introducing ex-Secretary Bayard, when some one cried, "Look at Secretary Windom!" The speech was broken short, and every eye was turned in the direction of that gentleman. He had collapsed in his chair, and was falling to the floor. His face was ghastly, and a cry of horror arose. There was an immediate rush on the part of all towards Mr. Windom's chair, but several doctors, who were guests at the dinner, got there first, and drove the others back. They were Doctors Rollinson, Durant, Whitney, Fisher and Bishop. Dr. Rollinson bent down and making a close examination of the prostrate form, discovered that the secretary had been for a long time a sufferer from heart disease, and only last Monday was visited by a shock, which, however, passed away without causing him much inconvenience. When it was officially announced that Secretary Windom was dead, Secretary Tracy at once went to the nearest telegraph office, and sent a message to President Harrison, informing him of the sad event, and requesting him to communicate with Mrs. Windom and have her start on the 11:10 p. m. train for New York. This will bring the widow to the city by 7 o'clock in the morning.

Secretary Windom was born in Belmont county, Ohio, May 10th, 1827. He received an Academic education, studied law at Mount Vernon, Ohio, and was admitted to the Bar in 1850. In 1852 he became prosecuting attorney for Knox county, but in 1855 he removed to Minnesota, and soon afterwards was chosen to Congress for that State as a republican, end served from 1859 to 1869. In that body he acted for two terms as Chairman of the Committee on Indian Affairs, and also was at the head of the special committee which visited the Western tribes in 1865. In 1870 he was appointed to the United States Senate to fill the unexpired term of Daniel S. Norton, deceased, and was subsequently chosen for the term that ended in 1877. He was re-elected in 1881, but resigned to enter the Cabinet of President Garfield as Secretary of the Treasurer, retiring on the accession of President Arthur. He acted as chairman of the committee on appropriations, foreign affairs and transportation. He was specially identified with the Interstate Commerce Bill, the Silver Bill, and both before and after he joined President Harrison's Cabinet, of which he was a most energetic and advanced member, did much toward the reduction of the National debt.

The dinner party broke up as soon as the hon. gentleman's death was announced. The body was removed to the Fifth Avenue Hotel, where the following named gentlemen will remain with it all night: Collector Ehrandt, Secretary Tracy, Attorney General Miller, F. B. Thurber, Ed. Harper, and Dr. Robinson. It has been decided to take the remains to Washington in the morning by special train.

Valentines at 5 cents each and upwards at T. N. Hibben & Co.

New Comic Song.

Prof. Sharp's new comic song, "The Cannibal Maid and the Missionary," and his latest instrumental, "The Victoria Waltz," for sale at the Central Bookstore, 45 Government street, opposite the Bank of B.C.
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BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

Paraguay will Once More Assert Her Right to Recognition as a Commercial Nation.

Burial of the Crown Prince of Belgium. The Scottish Railway Strike Ended.

Mr. Fergusson's Opinion.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—In reply to Mr. Picton, the Liberal member for Leicester, Mr. Fergusson said in Parliament to-day that he did not believe that Portugal had yet signed the charter of the Mozambique company, and he intimated that the British government could not be expected to reject certain of the provisions of the proposed charter evidently hostile to British interests.

The Final Act.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—Mr. Fergusson, of the foreign office, said in Parliament to-day, that he hoped the British high commissioners for the Western Pacific would shortly be able to issue the necessary regulations enforcing so far as the British were concerned, the final act of agreement regarding Samoa.

The Beginning of the End.

GLASGOW, Jan. 29.—The Scottish railway strike is nearly over. Most of the strikers in Edinburgh and the small towns resume work to-morrow on the companies' terms, "Let by-gones be by-gones." In Glasgow the strikers, those of the Caledonian road, will return to work.

No Dangerous Hurt.

BERLIN, Jan. 29.—While Herr Windhorst, the Catholic parliamentary leader, was leaving a committee of the Reichstag, to-day, he slipped and fell down stairs. He was badly bruised and had to be assisted home. His injuries, however, are not dangerous.

Chief of Staff.

BERLIN, Jan. 29.—Count Hæsler is expected to supercede Count Waldersee, as chief of staff, differences between Count Waldersee and the Emperor rendering the change necessary.

South American States.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—A company has been formed at Brussels, with a capital of six million francs, to trade on the Orinoco river, South America. The object is to develop the resources of that region, and bring it into more direct communication with Europe. Paraguay, the South American republic which was crushed out of existence over twenty years ago, by war with Brazil and the Argentine republic, in which nine-tenths of the people lost their lives, is about to resume diplomatic relations with the rest of the world, and a ministry will shortly be established in England.

A Prince's Burial.

BRUSSELS, Jan. 29.—Cardinal Archbishop Mecklin officiated at the solemn services in the cathedral in connection with the funeral of Prince Boudoin. Among the testimonials of grief and sympathy sent by European sovereigns, were wreaths from Queen Victoria, Emperor William, who was represented by his brother, Prince Henry, the Queen of Roumania and others. King Leopold descended from his throne and knelt in prayer at the altar. After the religious services, the funeral car started for Lacken, followed by King Leopold, the Count of Flanders, Prince Albert, the new heir to the throne of Belgium, and a dense throng of mourners, official and unofficial. The Prince of Wales was specially represented, and sent a wreath as a mark of his regard for the dead.

No English Coin for Koch.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—In the House of Commons, to-day, Mr. Nolan asked the Government to confer with other states in regard to the justice of reciprocity, of taking joint action to bestow a pecuniary reward on Professor Koch for his great discovery. Hon. W. H. Smith replied that, while not depreciating the value of Prof. Koch's discovery, the Government must decline to add new functions to its already heavy responsibilities.

Working of the Crimes' Act.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—In the House of Commons, to-day, Hon. Mr. Smith promised Mr. John Morley to entertain his motion regarding the operation of the Crimes' Act in Ireland, a week from Monday, provided that, in the meantime, the Tithes Bill is disposed of.

Ministerial Crisis.

VIENNA, Jan. 29.—The trouble between the ministry and the radical majority in the Servian Skuptschina has reached such an acute stage that the ministry has resigned.

Killed by an Avalanche.

LONDON, Jan. 29. — An avalanche at Athamana destroyed eighty houses, killed twenty-five persons, and injured many more.

A Slight Theatrical Disturbance.

PARIS, Jan. 29.—There was another row at the Theatre Franchise, to-night, during the performance of "Autographs." Coqueline appeared to the audience, and the play was allowed to go on to the end. The police were held in reserve, but did not interfere.

Senator For Southern Dakota.

PIERRE, S.D., Jan. 29.—To-day the ballot for Senator in joint session resulted as follows; Wardwell, 63; Moody, 25; Tripp, 22; the others scattering.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

Sensational Murder Story.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 28.—It is said that Mrs John Stevens, a widow, 88 years of age, who was found burned to death in her home on Telegraph Hill, on the morning of Dec. 30, was not the victim of an accident as was stated, but was murdered, the motive being robbery, as the lady was known to have considerable money in the house. The residents of Telegraph Hill say that the floors and timbers of the place, in which Mrs. Stevens lived alone, were found saturated with petroleum, and that on the night the remains were discovered four men were seen prowling around the house.

Kilrain to Fight Godfrey.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 29.—Jake Kilrain and George Godfrey met this afternoon and signed articles of agreement. Their fight will take place in the middle of March.

Given Up for Lost.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 29.—There is considerable uneasiness in shipping circles over the delay in the ship Glenfinart reaching port. The vessel has a general cargo and is 181 days out from Glasgow. This morning 75 per cent. additional was offered to re-insure her cargo, but the offer was not accepted.

Those Chinese Pirates.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 29.—The steamer Rio de Janeiro arrived from Hong Kong and Yokohama, this evening, bringing the following advices: Of the six men arrested in connection with the piracy on board the British steamer Namoa, in which several men were killed, five have been discharged, there being no evidence of any kind against them. The sixth has been identified by one of the Namoa's officers, and remanded for trial.

Tragedy on Alcatraz Island.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 28.—News reached the coroner's office at 3:30 this afternoon that Dr. W. D. Deitz, of the 5th artillery, at Alcatraz Island, had murdered his wife and then committed suicide at their quarters this morning. The bodies were found at 11:20. The weapon, with two barrels discharged, was discovered near the bodies, which appeared badly torn. The first discovery of the murder and suicide was made by a Chinese servant. He went to the doctor's room at about 9:30 this morning and knocked. There was no response. The Chinaman went away, but returned in about an hour, and after knocking again repeatedly, he got assistance and broke in the door. Then the worst suspicions of those who had been called to the house were realized. A quick examination showed that Mrs. Dietz had been shot through the heart. On the floor was the husband's corpse, and near at hand was the weapon which had done the deadly work. The deceased surgeon entered the army in 1883 and had the rank of captain. He was of the most jovial disposition and a great favorite on account of his cheerful manners, with privates and officers alike. Doctor Dietz and his wife had lived on the Island for about two years. They had only one child, a boy of three years. Those acquainted with the couple said that the doctor had been jealous of his wife and had suspected her of infidelity. Others say, however, that the doctor was insane.

AMERICAN NEWS.

Defeated at All Quarters.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Flint & Co., of this city, who with Hemenway & Brown, own the principal line of vessels from New York and Boston to Chili, received a cable to-day, dated Valparaiso, January 28th, stating that the revolutionary squadron had been defeated at all ports attacked.

The Emblem of Purity.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—The Rome correspondent of the Catholic News sends word that Archbishop Galimberti has notified the Austrian court that the Pope will this year send the golden rose to the Empress of Austria. A few weeks ago it was stated in Paris that the Pope had sent the famous token to Madame Carnot, the wife of the president of the French republic.

Sioux at Washington.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Jan. 29.—Fourteen Sioux Indians and their interpreters, in charge of separate agents, arrived in Washington to-day from Chicago. They are carefully guarded at their boarding house and are not permitted to talk with anyone. No arrangements have, as yet, been made by Secretary Noble for a conference with the Indians, but it will probably take place early next week.

Whites Were to Blame.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—The commissioner of Indian affairs has received a report from Indian Agent Cole, who investigated the trouble among the Okanagon Indians in Washington. The agent says that there was some excitement among those Indians, but more especially among those moving off the reservations in Okanagon county, on account of the lynching of a young Indian named Stephen, who was confined in the county jail at Connelly, as one of the supposed murderers of a white freighter, Cole, several weeks ago. The deputy sheriff, Ives, in attempting to arrest Captain John, who, it is supposed, murdered Cole, killed the Indian. Young Stephen, on January 5th, gave himself up to the authorities, with the understanding that they should try him for killing Cole by law, as he believed he could prove himself innocent. On the tenth, he was examined and his bonds fixed at $10,000, and while his relatives and friends were getting bonds twenty-five masked men, on the eighth, went to the jail and demanded at the point of their guns the release of the prisoner.

He was then taken a short distance from the jail and hanged to a tree. Stephen was not more than fifteen years of age. The agent says it was a cowardly act. On account of the threats made by friends of the young Indian, the Governor sent 200 rifles and 600 rounds of ammunition, and troops were held in readiness to move at a moment's notice. The agent says he does not fear any trouble on this account, but liquor traffic now going on near Okanagon reservation, he fears, if not quickly suppressed, will cause serious trouble among the Indians.

The Mammoth Mine Catastrophe.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 29.—The exact number of dead removed from the Mammoth Mine is 107. Twenty-nine victims were buried to-day. It is the general impression that a number of bodies are yet in the mine covered with debris. A large number of men are working clearing out the mine. The damage to the mine will not exceed $1500.

PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

First Session of the Sixth Parliament.

EIGHTH DAY.

Thursday 29th, 1891.

The Speaker took the chair at two o'clock.

HON. MR. ROBSON presented the following

RETURNS

Relating to the remission of the tax of $105, imposed by section No. 1 of the Mineral Act;

Orders in Council, etc., relating to the closing of the Cache Creek Boarding school;

Correspondence, &c., relating to the sending of the Militia to Wellington, also

The annual report of the public schools of the province.

PETITIONS.

MR. COTTON presented the petition of the New Westminster and Burrard Inlet Telephone Company, asking for amendments to their act of incorporation.

MR. NASON—Of John C. Armstrong and others, asking for a bill to incorporate the Vernon and Nelson Telephone Company.

COL. BAKER—Of the Crow's Nest & Kootenay Lake Railway, asking for amendments to their act of incorporation.

MR. KITCHEN—Of Donald McGillivray and others, asking the House to pass an act to incorporate the British Columbia Dyking and Improvement Co., to dyke and drain certain lands in the New Westminster District, and also to drain Sumas Lake.

ALLEGED INTERFERENCE WITH JUSTICE.

Mr. MARTIN moved for all correspondence and telegrams between the Attorney-General and J. Lehman, Esq., J. P. of Ashcroft, relative to the prosecution and discharge of one J. Carey, for alleged embezzlement.

Hon. Mr. DAVIE said there would be no opposition to the motion. On the contrary he had only been too glad, when the member mentioned the matter to him to urge on him the propriety of that course. He had, he must say, been surprised that the senior member for Vancouver but not at the first opportunity, after the House had sat, brought up this matter which he, in his paper, had professed to know all about. He naturally expected that he would have vindicated what he had written about at the bar of this House. It was, he said, to be regretted that the proprietors of newspapers sometimes published wild charges and then dropped them, thus leaving the parties attacked no opportunity of defence. One paper, had charged him (Mr. Davie), in connection with this case, with compounding a felony, but he had been content to wait for the meeting of the House, rather than deal with the question. In connection with the present case, he had been charged with stifling a charge against one Carey of embezzling from the Canadian Pacific Railway and the Express company, and with instructing the magistrate to interfere and prevent the case going further. No instruction whatever had been given to the magistrate, who, in reply to a communication sent to the Attorney-General, had been informed by telegram that he must use his own judgment, the Attorney-General having no orders to give him. The case was subsequently dismissed by the magistrate, as he (Mr. Davie) was informed. In charges of embezzlement or obtaining money under false pretences, it was not unusual to allow the prosecution to be dropped, when restitution had been made, and the constable having charge of the case, had been informed that there would be no objection this course.

MR. COTTON moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. Kellie, to strike out all the words after "that" in the first line, and insert:—"a respectful address be presented to His Honor, the Lieutenant-Governor, requesting His Honor to cause to be placed before this House copies of all orders-in-council, telegrams, papers and correspondence, or other information, in the possession of the Government or any of its members or officials, between the Attorney-General, or any official of his or any other department, and Isaac Lehman, Esq., J. P., of Ashcroft, or any other official of the Government, or any other person or persons, relative to the prosecution and discharge of one Edward Charles Carey, for alleged embezzlement, or any matters or proceedings connected therewith."

The hon. senior member for Vancouver denied that he had made any charges against the Attorney-General.

HON. MR. DAVIE—But you insinuated, which is much worse.

MR. COTTON said he did not now propose to enter upon the matter, except to say that he had personally and recently received communications on the subject, and when the papers came down should be able to discuss it.

HON. MR. BEAVEN wished to have the matter ventilated, as it appeared that a defaulter had only, when found out, to return the money to secure his discharge.

The resolution as amended by Mr. Cotton was adopted.

HON. MR. DAVIE moved to discharge the order for the second reading of the Municipalities Bill.—Carried.

LAND REGISTRY BILL.

HON. MR. DAVIE moved the second reading of the Land Registry Bill. Its object was, he said, to prevent the owners of property from been harrassed by vexatious proceedings. In the past it had been possible to enregister charges against property, during whose pendency it was impossible for the owner to sell, no matter how advantageous the market and the terms offered. The Bill provided for the removal of the charges on such security as might seem to be satisfactory in making the order, the judge being empowered to take into consideration the probability of the success of such person on the action to be brought.

The bill was read a second time and referred to committee (Mr. Semlin in the chair), when amendments were made, on the motion of the Attorney-General, to confine the mode of cancellation and to do away with the necessity of having charges or transfers made with the use of the seal. It was also specially provided in another amendment, offered by the Attorney-General, that where land has been granted, or devised to two or more persons, other than executors or trustees in fee simple, or for any less estate, it shall be considered that such persons took or take as tenants in common, and not as joint tenants, unless an intention sufficiently appears that they are to take as joint tenants.

Several minor amendments were discussed, after which the committee rose, reported progress, and asked leave to sit again.

THE JURORS' ACT.

HON. MR. DAVIE moved the second reading of the bill to amend the Jurors' act, which he explained in the meantime for particular reasons specially applied to New Westminster in certain details. In explaining the bill he stated that the fees to jurors in civil cases were governed by rules of court, and these, it was intended, to have increased by special jurors. In regard to criminal cases the Jurors' act applied to them and the Government would move to place on the same footing as jurors in civil cases. The case of grand jurors would also be considered, but he did not think it would be deemed necessary to increase their fees, as it was under contemplation to abolish grand juries altogether. He (Mr. Davie) had, he might say, been one of the first to speak of the abolition of such jurors, and he now noticed that the Dominion Government had the subject under consideration.

The bill having been read a second time, was committed, Mr. Booth in the chair.

The committee having dealt with the bill at some length, reported progress and asked leave to sit again.

MECHANICS' LIEN BILL.

The House again went into committee on the Mechanics' Lien Bill, Col. Baker in the chair. The bill having passed through committee, was reported.

After some discussion as to whether or not the House should adjourn, in view of the fact that it was impossible for the New Westminster Southern railway to be opened, to which the members had been invited, the House adjourned until Monday.

NOTICE OF QUESTION.

BY MR. HORNE—To ask "Do the Government intend to open a Land Registry office at the city of Vancouver, and, if so, at what date will said office be opened, and ready to transact business?

BY MR. KITCHEN—To ask the Attorney General if it is the intention of the Government to provide for the payment of the Grand Jurors, and to increase the allowance now paid to Petit and Special Jurors?

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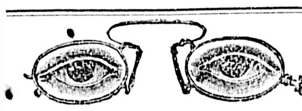

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session for an Act extending the powers of the Crow's Nest and Kootenay Lake Railway company, and enabling the said company to construct, equip, operate and maintain a line of Railway from a point on the Lower Kootenay River at or near its Junction with Goat River, thence to the Columbia River in the neighborhood of Fort Sheppard, with a branch line to Nelson, via Salmon River, and from the Columbia River by way of Osoyoos Lake and Similkameen River to Hope, thence following the south side of the Fraser River to a convenient point for crossing to New Westminster and a convenient terminal point on Burrard Inlet, with power to build branch lines not exceeding 30 miles in length. And that Sections 6, 7 and 18 of the Crow's Nest and Kootenay Lake Railway Company Act, 1888, may be amended by increasing the capital and borrowing powers of the Company, and to change the name of the said Company to "The British Columbia Southern Railway Company."

CHARLES WILSON,
Solicitor for Applicants.
Dated the 11th day of December, A. D. 1890.
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NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made at the next Session of the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia for an Act to Incorporate a Company to construct, equip, maintain and operate a Tramway, to be worked by steam, horse or other motive power from the "Silver King Mine" on Toad Mountain, Kootenai District, to some point on the Kootenai River, at or near Nelson, and for all the powers, rights and privileges usual or necessary in such an undertaking, or in constructing, equipping, maintaining and operating a railway.

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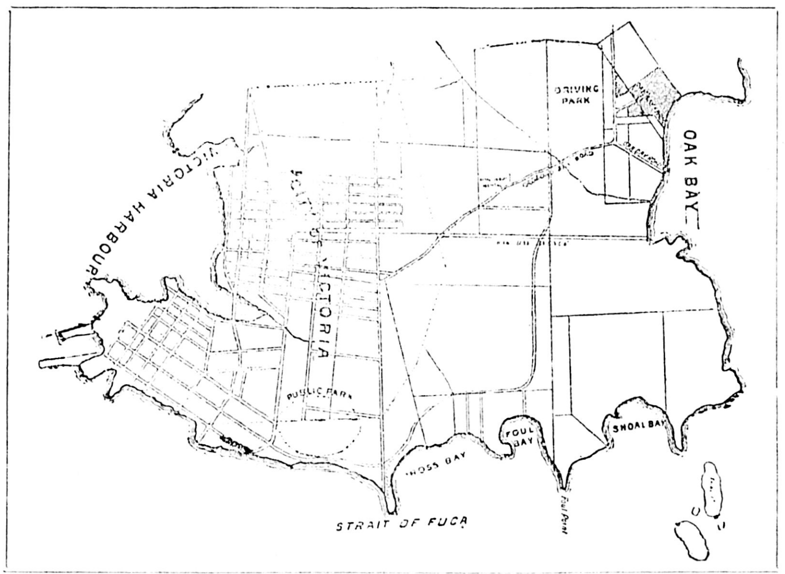

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AGRICULTURE IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.

TO THE EDITOR:—The reason why agriculture makes such slow progress in Vancouver Island is that the land is heavily timbered, not easily accessible, and, in addition, not descriptively mapped, for which reason no stranger can find a claim.

The absence of settlement is not due to the land laws, for, within the past forty years, every kind and description have, at various times, been in vogue, without appreciable effect. To these may be added the modern craze for residence in cities.

The labor and expense of clearing are the chief obstacles to progress. To make one acre of timbered land fit for the plough, costs, even with Chinese labor, about one hundred dollars. If a farmer, then, clears an acre of land and makes it fit for cultivation, he has spent by his own labor one hundred dollars. Can he realize one hundred dollars if he wishes to sell? The answer is no, excepting near the city, or some other popular centre.

One man can scarcely be expected to clear more than two acres in one year, for, remember, he has to live, and for this purpose to cultivate what other prepared land he may have. If a man, then, has 120 acres, it will take him sixty years at this rate to make the whole useful. Of course I am speaking of heavily timbered land. How little, then, has the Government price of land to do with settlement! The obstruction to agricultural progress stares one in the face, it is the cost and difficulty of clearing the land.

Timbered land then for agricultural purposes may be considered worthless. Of course, if a settler has a few acres of prairie, alder bottom or easily drained swamp, he can begin therewith and do very well. The cost of the actual necessaries of life are not great; the artificial wants are what make living expensive.

How, then, can settlement on such lands be promoted or procured and production increased? Remember the great want is a producing population.

Should not the government give a liberal bonus to everyone who renders one acre of heavily timbered land fit for the plough? The land is the estate of the government of the country (i. e., all that has not been sold), how can they make it profitable to the country? Let the government prepare to borrow, say a quarter of a million, and with this money render productive three thousand acres of land! It is true that the interest on this money would be ten thousand dollars per annum. This interest would be a charge on the cleared land. Could they sell this land at one thousand dollars per acre? Could they rent this land at five dollars per acre? This, however, is hardly the way to look at a question involving the improvement of the country. If they want to get this price they must make the clearing easily accessible, and have a market handy. Does not this mean a railway? Of course the land might simply be cleared of upright timber, the stumps left to rot—they would only take a quarter of a century to do so! There is, however, another course which might profitably be pursued, viz.: build farm houses on desirable lands, and, having cleared two or three acres of the latter, rent the whole claim with a promise to sell at a given figure simply covering the cost of the improvement. It is a well known fact that if a man can find a claim of this kind, he is willing and anxious to take it, stick to it and go on clearing more land. He will pay the rent, because he has the power to buy, which also means to sell his lease. The rent of such an improved claim would not exceed thirty-five dollars per annum. There is, however, another way of looking at this matter. Three thousand acres of land will produce about ninety thousand bushels or two thousand seven hundred tons of wheat, the value of which amounts to about one hundred thousand dollars. Mind, when once the land has been cleared, it will produce this or some other equally valuable crop annually. The interest to be paid out of this is ten thousand dollars, leaving ninety thousand dollars for working expenses. What would the working expenses amount to? I do not know.

Three thousand acres of cultivated land will yield a very good living to one hundred farmers and their families, so that the country would have so many more "settlers." Doubtless each farmer would make the land produce more than I have reckoned, because dairy husbandry and so forth would yield larger income. Of course, there would be a little larger outlay. Each farmer of thirty acres would have to pay about one hundred and twenty dollars per annum rent to the government, until he bought out his allotment.

The above are cogitations only.

Bonuses and privileges are offered people who will erect industries profitable to the country. Why should not the same be applicable to people who will clear the lands?

Of course it may be said that agricultural products may be brought from foreign countries without all this trouble. We know this to our sorrow to be so. If this had not been so easy, if people had been necessitated to grow their own provender, Vancouver Island would have been better off today.

If we are to have a resident productive agricultural population in Vancouver Island, the government must encourage it in some material shape or way. I have seen every kind of land policy pursued without effect. It is of no use inviting immigrants to settle in the forests without having first made a clearing for them.

If course, it is supposed that when anyone buys a portion of the cleared land the money paid will be applied to the clearing of other land and so forth.

J. S. HELMCKEN.

A Perilous Position.

SAN JOSE, Jan. 28.—This morning, while J. P. Corpstein was painting the steeple of Cupertine church, five miles west of Santa Clara, and supporting himself by keeping his foot in the noose of a rope attached to the top of the steeple, he suddenly lost his balance, let go his hold, and the next instant was dangling in the air, 80 feet from the ground. He hung with his feet fastened in the loop, and struggled desperately to recover himself, but his efforts were in vain. Fortunately, P. Montgomery witnessed the accident, and called L. V. Carrigns and E. P. Stanley, who were working in the rear of the church. Their cries attracted assistance, and the rescue was immediately undertaken. Spliced ladders were run from the ground, and when Corpstein was reached he was unconscious, and the blood was streaming from his nose and mouth. The lives of the rescuers were in great danger, but with care and great effort they succeeded in reaching the ground with their burden. Corpstein will recover.

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Victoria, 2nd January, 1891. ja3

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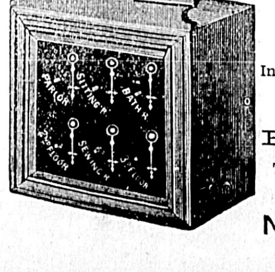

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NOTICES.

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January 1, 1891. j1-m

In the Matter of the Estate of David Findlay Fee, jr., deceased.

ALL PERSONS indebted to the above named deceased are requested to make payment to, and all persons having claims against the said deceased are requested to send the same to the undersigned, on or before the 15th February, 1891.

JOHN T. FEE,
Administrator Estate D. F. Fee, jr., deceased.
ja7-1m

In the matter of the Estate of Joseph Mason, late of Barkerville, deceased.

All persons having claims against the above estate are requested to forward the same to the undersigned.

BODWELL & IRVING,
Solicitors for Ada Mason,
the Executrix.
Dated 23rd December, 1890. de24-1m

NOTICES.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Subdivisions 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21 of Suburban Five Acre Lot XIX, Victoria City.

WHEREAS the Certificate of Title of Henry Pering Pellew Crease, of Victoria, British Columbia, to the above-mentioned subdivisions, bearing date the 14th day of July, 1883, has been lost, and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate. Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 7th January, 1891. ja8-1m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

FRACTIONAL SECTION 18, RANGE V.; Fractional section 18, Range VI., and the E 44 acres of Section 18, Range IV., Chemainus District.

Whereas, the certificate of title of Henry Croft, of Victoria, British Columbia, to fractional section 18, range V., fractional section 18, range VI., and the E 44 acres of section 18, range IV., Chemainus District, bearing date the 26th day of April, 1889, has been lost or destroyed, and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate: Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate will be issued, unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month of date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 5th January, 1890. ja6-1m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 1A or O, 1 and 2 and Lot 3, (Lime Bay), Victoria West.

CERTIFICATES of indefeasible title to the above lots will be issued to John Hall on the twenty-sixth day of January, 1891, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said lots or some part thereof.

CHARLES JAMES LEGGATT,
Registrar-General,
Land Registry Office, Victoria,
22nd October, 1890. oc23-3m

"Land Registry Act."

Subdivision 29 of Suburban Lot XIX., Victoria City.

TAKE notice that it is my intention to register the title to the above mentioned subdivision in the name of Sarah McTeigh for life, with remainder in the name of Charles McTeigh in fee, unless within three months from the date hereof on adverse claim is filed at my office.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 5th November, 1890. no5

NOTICE.

In the Matter of "The Winding Up Act,"

AND OF

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A GOOD BEGINNING.

Alderman Holland's resolution with respect to the Indian reserve is an excellent one and we trust that it will be acted upon promptly. That the Indian reserve should be within the city's limits is not good either for the Indians or the citizens. The worthy alderman's resolution is the first step towards providing for their peaceable and equitable removal. The land is needed by the city and should be at its disposal. It is not right that so large a part of the city's area and that, too, with much more than the average proportion of water front should be locked up with no prospect of its being improved either by its owners or the city.

We are glad to see that it is proposed to give the Indians fair value for their right to occupy the land. The disposition of the purchase money is an after consideration. Some of the Indians themselves, have, we think, indicated how it can be invested with the greatest advantage to the members of the tribe.

What Ald. Holland said about cutting away a portion of the reserve, which is an obstruction to navigation, and using the soil excavated and dredged for the purpose of raising the James Bay flats, is well worthy of consideration. It is necessary to transform those useless and foul-smelling flats into dry and healthy sites for buildings. By transferring the land near the railway bridge to the flats a double purpose will be served. The harbor will be improved considerably, and the area of James Bay east of the bridge will be utilized and made very valuable.

The new Council in suggesting improvements so necessary and of such great value, is beginning well. If it carries out what it has designed, it will be the most useful Council that ever managed the affairs of this city. That its members will not be satisfied with merely talking about the reforms and changes that are required, we are convinced. "Deeds, not words," is evidently the motto of the majority of the new Council.

THE RIGHT WAY.

The Indian who told a COLONIST reporter that the men of the Songish tribe do not want a reserve, but would gladly sell out and buy homes for themselves, indicated very clearly the solution of the Indian difficulty, not only in Victoria, but in every part of this continent Hiving the Indians on reserves is the very worst thing that can be done with them. Forming an isolated community, they perpetuate the tribal feeling, their wild notions, their language, and the improvident habits they have inherited. The best friends of the Indians have been long trying to persuade them to hold land in severalty, to settle upon their own farms and to cultivate them as white men do. But the Indians like their old ways too well to change them readily. A few, here and there, have taken farms and adopted the white man's mode of living, to a certain extent, and they have done very well; but the great majority are too much attached to Indian habits and have too great a distaste for continuous hard work to become either cultivators of the soil or raisers of stock.

But here we have a tribe who are desirous to live as white men do. Each member of it wants to own land in his own right, to cultivate it for himself and to take upon himself the duties and responsibilities of a free citizen. Would it not be well to treat these men as they want to be treated? Let part of the consideration for their right to the land, that, for want of a more appropriate name had been called "a reserve," be farms situated in places selected by the Indians themselves, not necessarily all in one block, but detached, some of them perhaps many miles apart. We think that with the consent and cooperation of the Dominion Government this could easily be done. If the Provincial Government buys the reserve the Indians might be allowed to choose farms on the Island or the Mainland. The public domain is large and these few Indians might be allowed a free choice. If the city buys the land directly from the Indians, with the consent of the Dominion Government, farms might be bought for them with the purchase money wherever they wished to settle. We believe that the business could be so managed that the Indians settled on farms of their own would be very much better off than they are now, and they would be free from many influences that keep them in their present unsatisfactory condition. Persons who know the British Columbia Indians well, say that those who believe them to be stupid and unimprovable make a very great mistake. Many of them are sharp and shrewd, and if they were in favorable circumstances, could hold their own against white men, whose opportunities were no better. The plan of making them self-dependent property owners is, we think, a very promising one. The experiment ought to be tried. It may result in a very great improvement of the condition of the owners of the reserve, and if it fails after a fair trial they will not be a great deal worse off than they are now.

That the Indians on the reserve must go is a foregone conclusion. The only question that is to be considered is how shall they be removed? Is not the way that they themselves have chosen the very best that could be suggested—best for the Indians themselves as well as for the citizens of Victoria?

ENGLISH OPINION.

The London Times is, at last, paying some attention to Canada. Hitherto, the Thunderer appeared to think Canadian affairs of very little importance. Its information as to what was going on in the Dominion was filtered through a correspondent living in Philadelphia, whose sources of information did not appear to be either very numerous or very trustworthy. Of late, Canada has risen in the estimation of the Times. It seems now to know what is going on in this country, and its correspondents have been able to gauge Canadian public opinion on various questions with some degree of accuracy.

In an able and comprehensive review of the state of the colonies, the writer says this with respect to the influence of the McKinley tariff and the efforts which the Government of the Dominion are making to counteract the effects of that piece of restrictive and, as regards Canada, unfriendly legislation:

"The hostile tariff was received as a dividing fence erected suddenly between Canada and her continental neighbor, and the colony turned its face resolutely towards home. The spirit shown by Canada, under the circumstances, has been such as to awaken a warm answering sentiment in this country. Estimating the losses which her trade is likely to suffer from the American duties, she has set herself to recover the balance elsewhere, and chiefly within the empire. To this end she has entered into negotiations for reciprocal commercial advantages with the West Indies, and is feeling her way to some similar agreement with Australia. She has also shown much energy in the endeavors to open up markets for farm and dairy produce in this country, and is offering every inducement to colonists to settle in the fertile agricultural lands of Manitoba. Active negotiations have also been carried on for the development of lines of communication both by rail and by sea. The first steamer of a new fast line already established between Vancouver, China and Japan will leave Liverpool on the 15th of this month, and the Canadian Government is in treaty for the establishment of a fast Atlantic service of four 20-knot twin-screw steamers between Great Britain and Canada. These steamers would run from London and Plymouth to Halifax and Quebec, and connect with the Canadian Pacific, Grand Trunk and other railway systems. They will, if the scheme is carried out, be supplemented by a Pacific service running between British Columbia and the Australian colonies, which will consist, to begin with, of three twin-screw steamers of not less than 16 knots. The steamers of this service will perform the passage across the Pacific in from 18 to 20 days, and will be able, if necessary, to reach the nearest Australian port from Vancouver in 16 days. This brings the two most distinct groups of colonies within little more than a fortnight of each other, and the total length of the journey from London through Canada to Australia by this route will be 32 days. The ships will carry mails, and will be subsidized by the Governments of Great Britain, Canada and Australia. They also, as is the case with the line running between Vancouver and Japan, form a part of the scheme of imperial defence, and will be specially designed as fast armed cruisers and transport ships. They will be built under the supervision of the Admiralty, and fully provided with all the necessary gun platforms and fittings. It is also intended that they shall be, as far as possible, manned by crews of the Royal Naval Reserve. The scheme has not yet been presented for the acceptance of Her Majesty's Government, but the Canadian Government has already voted its share of the subsidy. The views of the Australian Government are understood to be generally favorable, and the endeavor to carry this matter through will probably be the first Canadian undertaking of the year."

It is evident that the spirit of self-reliance which the Government of Canada has displayed in this crisis has won for Canadians the respect of thinking men in Great Britain. It must be remembered that the opinion of the Times on a matter of this kind is generally that of a very large proportion of the most intelligent as well as the most influential of the people of Great Britain.

A POLITICIAN.

The elevation of Governor Hill of New York to the Senate was expected. Governor Hill is a skilful politician. He, better than any New Yorker, knows how to work the machine. It said that he worked it so well that in order to secure his election to the Governorship he spoiled Mr. Cleveland's chances of being President for a second term. Both men being Democrats, this was not exactly what high-minded men consider loyal or patriotic. But the ways of politicians of Senator Hill's stamp are not to be judged by a high standard. When it came to be a question whether he should be Governor of New York or Cleveland should be President of the United States, Hill, having control of the voting machine, did not hesitate to sacrifice Cleveland. It is said that Hill's election to the Senate has been effected to take him out of Cleveland's way when the time comes for nominating a Democratic candidate for the Presidency. If this was the bargain, Senator Hill will very likely keep it. Before the nominating convention is held, the machine will be in other hands. The machine is a local institution, and is worked chiefly by men who take a leading part in state politics. A United States Senator who has held his seat for over a year is almost out of the swim. Other hands have been pulling the wires, and the new men will not, when the presidential election comes round, be willing to put the machine into the hands of the old engineer. They will insist upon working it to please themselves. The chances are, therefore, that Hill's transference to the Senate will make Cleveland's nomination a sure thing. There is no other candidate in sight.

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WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
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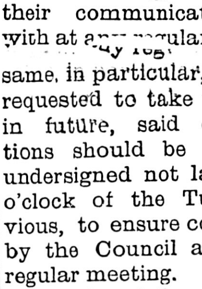
City Clerk's Office,
Jan. 29, 1891. jan30



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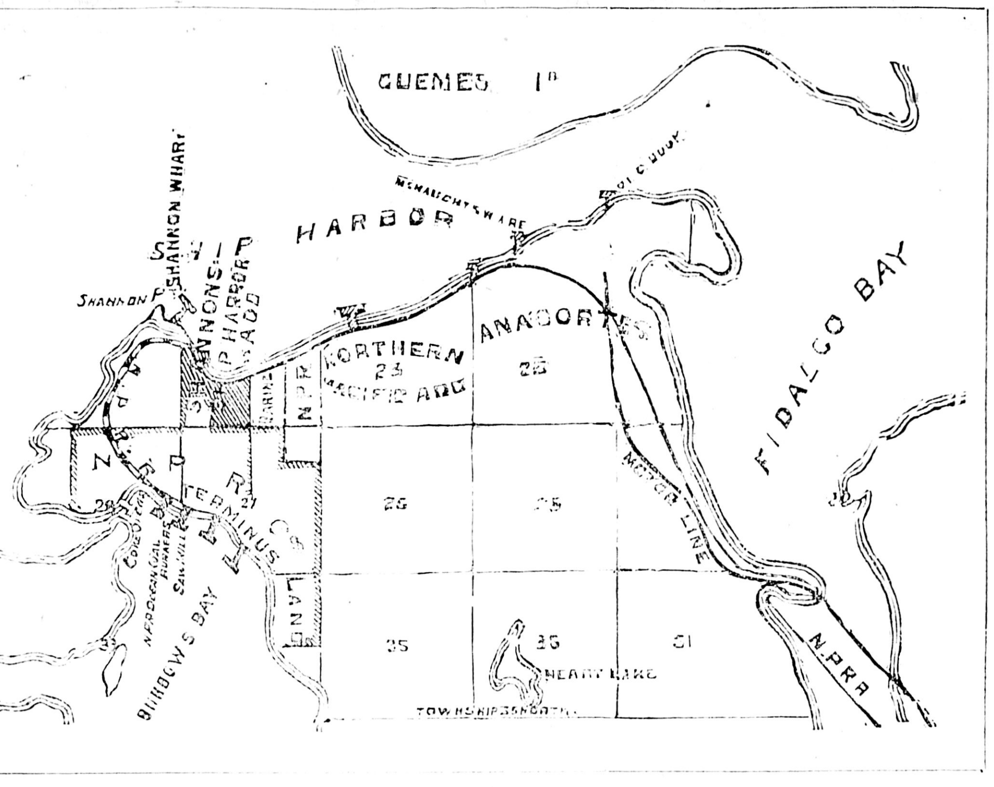

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JNO. TEAGUE,
ja27 Architect.

TO CONTRACTORS.

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E. L. SHANNON.

Anacortes, Fidalgo Island,
Jan. 28, 1891. ja29

To Ship Carpenters, Boat Builders, &c.

TENDERS for repairs to Yard Craft will be received until 10 a.m. sharp on Saturday next, the 31st inst.

Particulars can be obtained from the Carpenter of the Yard.

Tenders to be endorsed "Yard Craft."

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Naval Storekeeper, &c.

Naval Yard,
Esquimalt, 26th January, 1891. ja27

WINDING UP BUSINESS.

The undersigned respectfully request that all persons indebted to them will settle their accounts before the 31st inst., and all persons having claims against them, will present the same for payment before that date.

All accounts remaining unpaid after the above date will be placed in the hands of our Solicitors for Collection.

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Jan. 22, 1890. ja21-2w

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The undersigned controls a larger amount of property in Anacortes than any other Agent. Among other properties he has the exclusive sale of the BARING ADDITION, the PLEASANT SLOPE ADDITION, the best portion of the KELLOGG ADDITION, many choice Business Lots and some of the best acreage not yet subdivided. Particular attention is called to the BARING ADDITION, which will be placed on the market for the first time next week. This land is most centrally situated, having the Northern Pacific Addition and the present townsite of Anacortes to the east, and to the west and south-west the Shannon Addition and the extensive lands of the Fidalgo Island Land Co., which is chiefly composed of Northern Pacific officials. The best anchorage in Ship Harbor lies off this Addition, and the land slopes gradually back from the water front, being perfection for townsite purposes. The PLEASANT SLOPE ADDITION is one of the best residential properties in Anacortes; and the KELLOGG ADDITION is only a quarter of a mile south of the Terminal Wharf.

The undersigned first called the attention of the Victoria public to Anacortes about a year ago. At that time there was no definite railway policy announced, although, owing to its geographical position, to its easy access from the Straits, to the rich farming and mineral country immediately behind it, and to the fact of a railway up the Skagit Valley being then in course of construction, Anacortes offered a most promising field for investment. Since the time alluded to Anacortes has passed through a period of disappointed expectations, of hopes deferred, which is now happily ended. When things appeared to be at their worst, railway corporations were quietly negotiating the arrangements that have now placed Anacortes in the vanguard of the younger cities of the Sound. The Northern Pacific is now running three trains daily to and from Anacortes. The Seattle and Northern is operating as far up the Skagit Valley as Hamilton, and will soon be transporting for shipment at Anacortes the coal from the extensive mines in that neighborhood, while the farms on the flats are shipping weekly 5,000 sacks of oats to San Francisco. Other coal mines will shortly be made tributary to Anacortes; among them the famous Blue Canon mine on Lake Whatcom. During the last couple of months many buildings have been erected and the town has a steady and prosperous growth.

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Ye Bicycle Men.

Leave your measures for the latest Eastern Bicycle Shoe before the end of January, to be in time for the Spring tournament. Sample at Mansell's, 95 Government street. Order must go East within ten days. 7t

To Have Cabins Put In.

The steamer Danube will come in from the outer wharf as soon as she gets her cargo discharged, to tie up for a while at R. P. Rithet's wharf. It is understood to be the intention of the C. P. N. Company to have her fitted up as a northern passenger boat.

Will Not Be Considered.

Value will not be considered, cost will not be considered, nothing will be considered but the possibility of supplying the public with the largest amount of boots and shoes of the best possible value for the least possible money, at Russell McDonald & Co's great annual boot and shoe sale, commencing Monday next. 1t

Chinese Superstition.

Although they have been notified to leave at once, the Chinese occupants of the land on which the public market is to stand, will not abandon their present homes until after the celebration of the festival of the New Year. It is part of their religion that to do so would be to court bad luck. In order to oblige them the owners of the property will not interfere with them until the last fire cracker has duly cracked.

Broke the Window.

Early yesterday morning some person or persons unknown deliberately smashed the plate glass window of Mr. Henry Short's establishment, on Douglas street, and possessed himself or themselves of four revolvers, of assorted makes, and a handful of police calls. The value of the stolen articles is about $50, and the window was worth about the same, and uninsured. The culprits are supposed to be juvenile offenders.

Wonderful Little Woman.

Miss Olof Krarer, the most wonderful curiosity known to the platform, will deliver her lecture on Life in the Frozen North this evening at The Victoria. This little Esquimaux is only 40 inches in height, 31 years of age, and weighs 120 pounds. With her father, Olof left Greenland at the age of 15, with some shipwrecked sailors, and went to Iceland, and from there to Manitoba, where she studied the English language. The story of her life as she tells it is thrilling as any fairy tale, and she holds her audience spell-bound from first to last.

Police Court

Nothing very interesting took place in this court, yesterday morning. Only two small cases were disposed of, the first being a drunk by the name of John Roberts, who pleaded guilty and was fined $5. The next was John Hanning, charged with being a vagrant. He, too, pleaded guilty, but as he was a newcomer to the city, His Honor dismissed the case, after being heartily thanked by the prisoner. A summons was issued for the arrest of John Ching, a Chinaman, who is charged with selling lottery tickets, but did not appear on account of the first summons being handed to the wrong Chinaman.

The Wellington Strike.

The correspondence brought down to the House, yesterday, by Hon. Mr. Robson, in response to a motion for all orders-in-council, correspondence, etc., relating to the sending of a militia force to Wellington, last summer, consists of

A protest from Messrs. Keith, Forster and McKenzie, dated August 14th, against the sending of that force, and against the appearance, as counsel in the case before the stipendiary magistrate of the president of the counsel, or any member of the Government, and pledging themselves to hold the Government to a strict accountability in the premises.

The reply of the Hon. John Robson, dated Aug. 15, setting forth that "the Government have no control over the militia; neither have they over the professional engagements of Mr. Pooley, president of the council. The Government are at all times responsible for their actions, and a threat to hold them to a strict accountability is, therefore, superfluous."

What the Indians Say.

One of the chiefs of the Songhees Indians was talking to a COLONIST man, yesterday, in regard to the contemplated removal of the reserve. He is authority for the statement that the tribe, under Chief Jim, now number only about 57 souls, or 25 families, and their reserve consists of a little more than 100 acres. The majority of the tribe are now at Seabird Island attending a festival, but on their return, early next week, they will hold a meeting to discuss the situation. One or two vigorously oppose any step in the way of moving, but the majority are quite willing to sell their rights for a lump sum. They claim that their reserve was not given to them in the same manner as the other reserves of British Columbia. The others, they say, are simply given the use of the land; theirs, they were given out and out, of course, under the control of the Government. If they are bought out the Indians will buy a tract of land of their own selection and establish themselves upon it. But they want no more reserves.

A Change in the Lighting.

Determined to be up to the times in everything, the wardens of Christ Church Cathedral have arranged for the immediate lighting of the cathedral by electricity. Wiring has been already commenced.

Premises Secured.

The Bank of Montreal have secured the ground floor premises at the corner of Fort and Government streets, in the new Five Sisters Block. The plans for that building are being altered accordingly, and the premises will be well adapted to the uses to which they are to be put.

The Beacon Light.

It is understood that the Electric Light committee will arrange at once for putting a light at the top of the flagstaff on Beacon Hill, in response to a monster petition recently presented to the Council. The beacon light will be seen for many, many miles seaward, and will be decidedly useful for mariners, as well as an ornament to the hill and a convenience to the residents of that vicinity.

Sunday Closing.

The city clerk, yesterday, communicated with the secretary of the Licensed Victuallers' association in regard to a conference with the Council upon the question of Sunday closing. The interview, it is expected, will be held next week. Ald. Richards, the mover in this matter, thinks that an agreement will be reached by which all saloons in the city will, at least, be closed during the hours of church worship on Sundays.

The Gregorian Service.

On Saturday evening next the music at Christ Church Cathedral will be entirely changed. Up to the present, the Anglican music has been adopted in all the churches of British Columbia, on Sunday the Gregorian service will be heard for the first time in Victoria. Mr. H. Kent, the leader of the choir, has already made all preparations, and the first Gregorian music will, no doubt, be listened to with interest by a large congregation.

A Charge of False Pretences.

Last night, Angus McLean was arrested by Constable Smith, while driving a lumber wagon on the Saanich road. He was charged with buying whips at Heron & Mann's saddlery shop, on Broad street, and charging them to the account of A. C. Howe, who had given him no permission to do so. The team was brought into Victoria, and left at W. G. Bowman's stables, and McLean was lodged in jail, to wait examination on a charge of obtaining goods under false pretences.

Surprise Party.

Over one hundred merry pleasure seekers of Saanich district, gathered at the residence of Mr. Henry Brooks on the evening of Tuesday, last, to spend a few hours in social intercourse. The young people, with whom this district is very generously supplied, seemed thoroughly to enjoy themselves, while those of more advanced years manifested equal enjoyment in witnessing the frolics of their juniors. The table, under the excellent management of Mesdames Thomson, Brooks, Mitchel, Bryant and Richardson, was sufficient to satisfy the most fastidious. The music, consisting of three pieces, was furnished by local talent, the inspiriting strains rendering lively motion quite a necessity.

An Awkward Position.

Jacob A. Windsor and Miss Charlotte A. Rouse were united in holy matrimony, by Rev. Percival Jenns, on Wednesday night. Their union was, however, not without a little awkward feature, which was fortunately quickly overcome by the bridegroom. He had neglected to provide himself with the necessary license, but the fact was not discovered until the bridal party made their appearance before the clergyman, and the ceremony was about to proceed. Then a brief postponement became necessary, and the groom in prospective started on a hurried hunt for the sheriff. That official was not at home, but was finally traced to the Salvation Army barracks. The situation was explained, and he lost no time in supplying the necessary documents, by which two hearts were made happy and two names were merged into one.

A Sheep Stealer Killed.

Almost daily for some time past the farmers of Metchosin district have missed one or more sheep from their flocks. They laid the depredations to the prowling panthers, but nothing could be done in the matter. Tuesday morning Mr. McLellan went out as usual, and to his astonishment found the sheep stealer making a hearty breakfast off one of his finest sheep. He immediately returned to the house for his dogs and rifle. A hot chase commenced, and the thief took to the woods, but he was soon compelled to take refuge in a large tree. Mr. J. McLellan was on the spot immediately, firmly resolved to rid the country at large of one at least of the gang of depredators. Sighting the thief in the tree he took steady aim and sent the leaden messenger of death true to its mark, and the huge panther fell at his feet in the throes of death. The panther measured from snout to tip of tail, 7 feet 6 inches. Mr. J. McLellan yesterday claimed the Government bounty for exterminating the brute, and he has earned as well the sincere thanks of his fellow farmers.

Queenstown Lots Sell Well.

Messrs. Routledge & Co. report that the sale of lots in the new town of Queentown, Quatsino harbor, is advancing at a rate which far surpasses expectations. Fifty lots have been sold outright during the past two days, and twelve blocks have been bonded by a San Francisco firm.

Still A'going.

The sale of boots and shoes at Geo. H. Maynard's is still a'going, the rush just as strong as ever, and everybody goes away thunderstruck with the prices. They are, indeed, wonderful, but the goods have to go, for he is unable to get a store anywhere, which speaks well for Victoria. *

Baring's Addition.

It is almost unnecessary to direct attention to H. E. Croasdaile's Anacortes advertisement, for every reader of THE COLONIST will see it before he reads this item. Mr. Croasdaile has very choice property to offer the investor. He has handled Anarcortes property since it was first brought to the attention of the public, and is in a position to sell to investors the best property in the market. Victorians cannot do better than consult him.

Missionary Meeting.

The annual missionary meeting was held in Christ Church Cathedral school-room, last evening. His Lordship the Bishop of New Westminster gave a very interesting and lengthy lecture on missionary work, and His Lordship the Bishop of Columbia filled the chair. The lay and clerical secretaries, Messrs. Croasdaile and Taylor, made a few remarks, and a vote of thanks was moved by Mr. Justice Crease, and seconded by Rev. Dr. Reid, to His Lordship the Bishop of New Westminster. The collection plate was passed around, and $50 was contributed to the missionary fund.

Armed With Documents.

Dr. J. C. Davie, who is now on his way to Europe, is determined to bring back with him a sample of Koch's much talked about lymph. As the new cure for consumption is hard to obtain at any price, the doctor has taken the precaution to arm himself with the most formidable credentials to be had. He first procured a letter from the Premier, Hon. John Robson, to Lord Stanley of Preston, and the Governor-General supplied him with a letter to the British Ambassador at Berlin, and a request that that high official use his influence in Dr. Davie's behalf.

Well Organized.

Spencer's hall was well filled last evening with gentlemen assembled with the determination of forming a court of the Independent Order of Foresters in this city. It was unanimously agreed that Mr. Noah Shakespeare take the chair, and Mr. Wm. Duck was appointed secretary *pro tem.* Mr. Oliver Cruse, of Seattle, Deputy Supreme Chancellor of the I. O. F., came over purposely to establish the society here, Mr. H. L. Taepke, of Port Townsend, also came over to be on hand at the organization. Twenty-seven members were enrolled, and it was decided that on Monday, the 2nd prox., in Spencer's hall, Broad street, the Independent Order of Foresters will be formally established.

Association of Provincial Land Surveyors.

The adjourned annual meeting of the above association was held yesterday evening in the city hall, and was a decided successful affair. Surveyors from nearly every section of the Province were present and seemed deeply interested in the proceedings. After one or two amendments to the constitution had been carried the election of officers was proceeded with and resulted as follows: For president, Ed. Mohun, C. E.; vice-president, J. A. Kirk, D. L. S., of New Westminster; secretary-treasurer, Tom Kains, D. L. S.; draughtsmen L. W. Department; Executive Committee, E. B. Hermon, D. L. S., Vancouver; T. S. Gore, D. L. S., Victoria; R. Heyland, M. E., Nanaimo. Mr. Ashdown Green read an interesting paper on Practical Natural History, giving valuable information to surveyors regarding methods of collecting and preserving specimens of the flora and found of the country through which their surveys carry them.

This association will not only be a great source of utility to the individual members thereof but will undoubtedly prove of benefit to the public at large in being the means of keeping the work performed by the profession up to a standard equal to that of any of the Provinces of the Dominion.

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The strength of the list of principal singers and artistic arrangement will be seen from the following announcement:

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The Third Annual General Meeting of the above Society will be held at

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to receive the Secretary's Annual Report and Balance Sheet. Election of Officers and Board of Management for ensuing year, and such other business as may be brought before the meeting. By order.

ja25-td A. ST. G. FLINT, Sec.

GREAT RUSH FOR SEATS.

Everybody Wants to Hear the Emma Juch Grand Opera Co.

The prospects for the success of the Emma Juch Grand Opera company that begins a season of opera at the Victoria theatre on Thursday, February 5th, are most flattering, if the energy and enthusiasm displayed by the purchasers of reserved seats, at the sale yesterday morning, can be taken as any indication. There was a large crowd present at Waitt's long before the advertised hour for the opening of the sale.

The culture, wealth and fashion of Victoria was largely represented, and the eagerness displayed for the possession of choice seats augurs well for a magnificent reception to the artists of the Emma Juch troupe next Thursday evening. Ambrose Thomas' beautiful "Mignon" seemed to be the favorite with the buyers, with Richard Wagner's grand work, "Lohengrin," a good second. Manager Austin wishes it stated, that for this engagement parties desiring to reserve seats in advance for the Saturday matinee, when Bizet's beautiful "Carmen" will be given, can do so at once by applying at Waitt & Co.'s stationery store.

The coming season by the Juch organization is now all the talk in society and musical circles. There is no singer on the American stage to-day who so well and deservedly commands the admiration and high regard of the American public as Emma Juch, and those devoted to grand artistic efforts conscientiously prepared and interpreted with equal brilliancy and truth, will give the young prima donna cordial and enthusiastic welcome back to this city. Her conception of the Wagner heroines has created a perfect boom for that composer's works. The wonderful German melodies by her rendering acquire a meaning apart from the all sufficient one breathed into them by their creator, and the auditor forgets the school and master in admiration of their exponent.

A QUICK BOAT TO VICTORIA.

Talk of a Union Pacific Steamer Making a One-Day Round Trip.

There is some talk of a new route being established between Tacoma and Victoria, and one steamer put on, making the round trip every twenty-four hours. Mr. Baldwin, agent of the Union Pacific line, on Wednesday, told a Post-Intelligencer reporter that he thought such a route would be a very good paying one, from the fact that a fast steamer could leave Tacoma, take in Seattle, Port Townsend, Anacortes and Bellingham Bay, and stop long enough at Victoria to enable passengers to transact considerable business and return within the twenty-four hours, and it would immediately secure a large patronage, as most people do not like to lose more than one day on the round trip. He had no intimation, however, that his company contemplated the establishment of such a route. But he had no doubt but what some company would see the advantage of it before long. And if his company decided to make the experiment, the steamer T. J. Potter or the Olympian would probably be put on the run, as either one could make it without difficulty.

It is thought the steamer Premier may be put on the route by the Canadian Pacific company, if the much talked-of transfer of this steamer to the Alaska Steamship company is not consummated.

The general impression is that better time will have to be made by water, and a better class of steamers employed in order to compete successfully with railroads on the Northern routes.

THE EDUCATION REPORT.

The nineteenth annual report of the Department of Education, which was laid on the table of the House, yesterday, shows that the number of pupils enrolled during the year was 8,042, an increase of 1,246, the average daily attendance having been 4,333.90, an increase of 652.76. The percentage of average attendance was 53.89. The cost of each pupil, based on enrolment, was $15.29, and on average daily attendance $28.37 The total expenditure for education proper, was,

Teachers' Salaries..	$ 107,574 14
Incidental Expenses, including rent	9,462 45
Education Office	5,918 24
Total	$122,984 83

Of the above outlay, the expenditure for salaries of teachers and incidental expenses of the different kinds of schools was:

For High Schools	$ 6,935 00
For Graded Schools	46,879 08
For Rural Schools	63,222 51
Total..	$117,036 59

Of the amount voted in the estimates for education proper during the past year, $7,265.17 were unexpended. The expenditure by the Lands and Works Department for the construction of school houses, furniture, repairs and improvements was:

School-houses	$ 31,555 00
Furniture repairs	3,521 32
Total	$ 35,076 32

The total expenditure for all purposes of education during the year was:

Education proper	$122,984 83
Lands and Works Department	35,076 32
Total	$158,061 15

The number of schools in operation was 117: High schools, 4; graded, 13; ward schools, 4; rural schools, 96.

In 1872 73 there were 25 school districts, with an aggregate enrolment of 1,028, an average daily attendance of 575, percentage of attendance 55.93, and an expenditure for education proper of $36,763.77. Last year there were 123 school districts, with an aggregate enrolment of 8,042, an average daily attendance of 4,333.90, percentage of attendance, 53.89, and an expenditure for education proper of $122,984.83. The statistical abstract shows the number of boys enrolled during the year to have been 4,129, increase for the year, 597; number of girls, 3,913; increase, 649; pupils enrolled in High schools, 244; increase, 57. The average daily attendance in High schools was 150.01; do in graded schools, 2,654.39; do in rural schools, 1,529.50.

The increase of school districts was 14. The schedule of salaries of teachers on the permanent staff during the year showed that there had been 154 in all salaried as follows: 1 at $110; 7 at $100; 3 at $90; 6 at $80; 2 at $75; 17 at $70; 5 at $65; 26 at $60; 9 at $55, and 78 at $50. The teachers consisted of 72 males and 82 females.

IN CHAMBERS.

(Before Mr. Justice Walkem.)

Rogers v. Hirsh.—Application by defendants for the appointment of a guardian for the infant defendants. Trial before the Chief Justice. Mr. Wilson for plaintiff, Bodwell & Irving for defendants.

Granville v. Cotton.—For further particulars. Order made by consent. Eberts & Taylor for plaintiff, Drake, Jackson and Helmcken for defendant.

McDougall v. Robson.—To deliver interpleading. Granted; costs to be costs in the case. Belyea and Gregory for plaintiff, Bodwell & Irving for defendant.

Turner, Beeton & Co. v. Hobson & Co.—Application for adjournment of summons. Granted. Bodwell & Irving for plaintiffs, Yates & Jay for defendants.

Lenz and Wood v. Gillis.—For leave to issue writ of jurisdiction. Leave given, 15 days. Mr. Bodwell.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Business generally has, probably owing to the unfavorable weather, hardly assumed that importance and extent which was expected immediately on the advent of the New Year, although it keeps fully up to the volume at the same period of last year. Money is in sufficient supply, and there are no legitimate demands that are not readily filled at 7 to 9 per cent.

The dry goods trade has been rather under the weather, and "sorting up orders are not nearly as good as they ought to have been. The probabilities are that large quantities of winter goods will be held over, a circumstance which will tend to lessen the inclination to lay in stocks. There is so far extremely little to say on this subject, but merchants, though not sanguine, are hopeful for the future.

Grocery merchants report nothing new. Matters are, comparatively speaking, at a standstill. Sugars are steady, and it is scarcely expected that prices will be much, if any, affected when the product of the Vancouver Refinery is placed on the market. Coffees are a trifle lower and on teas, there being some talk about an increase of duty, holders are firmer. Salt and smoked meats are dull and cannot, it is said, be handled at the present time with any very great amount of profit. Butter and cheese are firm. Salmon is expected to be dearer. There has, however, been scarcely as much buying of British account, much that has gone over having been on speculation. Dried fruits, particularly apples, are more firmly held, and in this descriptive there is a firm and healthy feeling.

Fish are very scarce, and as will be seen by the table, there has been an advance in them.

Butchers' meats remain unchanged, but with the diminishing number of animals or the hay it is generally held that there must be an advance.

In hardware there is no special feature; everything is well held.

Lumber is yet scarce, and there is still some difficulty of keeping the supply up to the demand. Prices are unchanged and very firm.

HE WANTS TO KNOW.

To the Editor—Can you inform me who—if anyone—prepared the specifications for that expensive piece of crib work that has given way on Dallas road? Surely the city engineer did not design that crumbling monument of blundering.

James' Bay.

Victoria, Jan. 29, '91.

A Cash Prize.

THE proprietors of Burdock Blood Bitters will give a cash prize of *Five Dollars* for the cleverest and best essay (not to exceed 100 words), upon the merits of B. B. B. as a cure for disease. The competition will close Jan. 1st, '91, after which the successful essay will be published, (with the author's name if desired). They will also pay $1 each for any of the essays they may select and publish. No restrictions. Try your skill, and add ess.

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jsn1-1y R. B. ESNOUF, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL.

DOGS AT LARGE.

THE PUBLIC are requested to take notice that all dogs found at large within the city limits after this date without the Corporation tag for the current year, will be impounded and dealt with in accordance with the provisions of the Pound By-law.

Dog tags can be obtained on application at the City Hall.

CHAS. KENT, Collector.

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AUCTION SALE.

W. R. Clarke, Auctioneer.

I am instructed by the administrator' Prevost, Esq., to sell by public auction. Sale-room, Store street, opp. the E. & N. R. depot, on

MONDAY, 9TH FEB.,

AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON,

by order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, all those pieces or parcels of land marked and numbered on the official map, and described as follows, viz:

LOT 1—Four acres of Section One.
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Three-quarters of an Acre, Esquimalt Dist		850
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About ¾ Acre Main Esquimalt Road; Building Site		2,625
About 1 Acre " " "		4,000
Lot and House, Pandora St		3,100
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5 to 6 Acre Blocks, Carey Road. Garden land	per acre	300
Acre Lot, Oak Bay Av. and Richmond Road		2,500
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"There is," says an eminent authority, "scarcely an article of human convenience or necessity in the market today that has not been the subject of a patent in whole or in part. The sale of every such article yields its inventor a profit. If we purchase a box of paper collars a portion of the price goes to the inventor; if we buy a sewing machine the probability is that we pay a royalty to as many as a dozen or fifteen inventors at once." Lord Brougham often said that he would gladly have exchanged his honors and emoluments for the profits and renown of the inventor of the perambulator or sewing machine. We are not wishful, says the Chicago Herald, to lead our readers to covet what are termed "large fortunes" as really conducive to happiness or usefulness. "Fortune" is itself a heathen and not a Christian word. But "invention" is another thing, and the remunerative results are a fitting element for consideration in these days. Howe, the originator of the sewing machine, derived £100,000 a year from it, and from their mechanical improvements the celebrated Wheeler & Wilson are reputed to have divided for many years an income of £200,000, while the author of the Singer sewing machine left at his decease nearly £3,000,000. The telephone, the planing machine and the rubber patents realized many millions, while the simple idea of heating the blast in iron smelting increased the wealth of the country by hundreds of millions. The patent of making the lower ends of candles taper instead of parallel, so as to more easily fit the socket, made the present enormous business of a well-known firm of London chandlers. The "drive-well" was an idea of Colonel Green, whose troops during the war were in want of water. He conceived the notion of driving a two-inch tube into the ground until water was reached, and then attaching a pump. This simple contrivance was patented, and the tens of thousands of farmers who have adopted it have been obliged to pay him a royalty, estimated at £600,000. A large profit was realized by the inventor who patented the idea of making umbrellas out of alpaca instead of gingham, and the patentee of the improved "paragon frame" (Samuel Fox) lately left by will £170,000 out of the profits of his invention. The weaving, dyeing, lace and ribbon-making trades originated and depend for their existence upon ingenious machinery, the result of an infinity of inventive efforts.

The discovery of the perforated substance used for bottoming chairs and for other purposes has made its inventor a millionaire. George Yeaton, the inventor in question, was a poor Yankee caneseater in Vermont. He first distinguished himself by inventing a machine for weaving cane, but he made no money out of it, as some one stole his idea and had the process patented. After a number of years' experimenting Yeaton at last hit upon this invention, which consists of a number of thin layers of boards of different degrees of hardness glued together to give pliability. He formed a company, and today he has a plant valued at $500,000, and is in the receipt of a princely annual revenue derived from this invention. Carpet beating, from being an untold nuisance, has become a lucrative trade through inventive genius and mechanical contrivance. Even natural curiosity has been turned to account in the number of automatic boxes for the sale of goods of all kinds, and fabulous dividends have been paid by the companies owning the patents. The most profitable inventions have been the improvements in simple devices, things of every-day use, that everybody wants. Among the number of patents for small things may be mentioned the "stylographic pen," and a pen for shading in different colors, producing £40,000 per annum. A large profit has been reaped by a miner who invented a metal rivet or eyelet at each end of the mouth of coat and trousers pocket to resist the strain caused by the carriage of pieces of ore and heavy tools. In a recent legal action it transpired in evidence that the inventor of metal plates used to protect soles and heels of boots from wear sold upward of 12,000,000 plates in 1879, and in 1887 the number reached 143,000,000, producing realized profits of a quarter of a million of money. Another useful invention is the "darning weaver," a device for repairing stockings, undergarments, etc., the sale of which is very large and increasing. As large a sum as was ever obtained for any invention was enjoyed by the inventor of the inverted glass bell to hang over gas to protect ceilings from being blackened, and a scarcely less lucrative patent was that for simply putting emery powder on cloth. Frequently time and circumstances are wanted before an invention is appreciated, but it will be seen that patience is well rewarded, for the inventor of the roller skate made over £200,000, notwithstanding the fact that his patent had nearly expired before its value was ascertained. The gimlet-pointed screw has produced more wealth than most silver mines, and the American who first thought of putting copper tips to children's shoes is as well off as if his father had left him £400,000 in United States bonds. Upward of £2,000 a year was made by the inventor of the common needle threader. To the foregoing might be added thousands of trifling but useful articles from which handsome incomes are derived.

The Largest Coin.

The largest gold coin in circulation in the world is stated to be the gold "loof" of Annam, the French colony in Eastern Asia. It is a flat round piece worth sixty-five pounds sterling. The next in size to this unwieldy coin is the Japanese "obang," which weighs more than two nces and a half, about equal to ten glish sovereigns.

PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

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NOTICES OF MOTION.

BY MR. BEAVEN—To move for all orders in Council, correspondence, papers, vouchers and receipts relating to the issue and cancellation of Crown Grant No. 2608, dated 17th June, 1883, and the issue of Crown Grant No. 4097 in lieu thereof.

BY HON. MR. BEAVEN—To insert a Chinese restrictive clause in the following bills. To amend the Crow's Nest and Kootenay R. R. Act; to incorporate the B. C. Dyking and Improvement Co.; to incorporate the Vernon & Nelson Telephone Co.; to incorporate the New Westminster and Burrard Telephone Co.

BY HON. MR. DAVIE—To introduce a bill respecting the corporation of New Westminster.

BY HON. MR. VERNON—To introduce a bill respecting land surveyors.

BY HON. MR. DAVIE—To introduce a bill to amend the Shuswap Railway Guarantee Act.

BY HON. MR. ROBSON—To introduce a bill to amend and consolidate the laws relating to minerals.

BY HON. MR. VERNON—To introduce a bill to amend the Land Act.

MR. HORNE—To move, That whereas the commercial importance of the City of Vancouver is daily increasing, and there is every reason to believe that during the ensuing season and in the future a much greater number of ships will be passing in and out; and whereas, it is desirable to increase the facilities of the shipping; and it is necessary in the interests of shipping and commerce that certain natural obstructions in the Narrows and in that harbor should be removed, and that certain parts of the entrance thereto it should be widened by dredging, and that a fog alarm should be placed at the point known as Prospect Point, and that Burnaby Shoal be removed or a fog alarm placed thereon; Therefore, be it resolved, that a respectful address be presented to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, praying His Honor to urgently request the Dominion Government to take immediate steps for widening and the removal of obstacles in the Narrows at the entrance of said harbor, and for the placing of a fog alarm on Prospect Point and at Burnaby shoal in said harbor. And that His Honor be further respectfully requested to transmit a copy of the address and this resolution to the Dominion Government.

WOLVES FEED ON INDIANS.

Band of 100 Beasts Eat Up a Hunting Party—Preacher Tells the Story.

WINNIPEG, Man., Jan. 27.—News of a most unusual occurrence among the Lake Winnipeg Indians has been brought to this city by Rev. J. Semer, an Indian missionary. That country is infested by timber wolves, but they rarely attack man. This year, however, there are few deer and no rabbits, and the wolves are ravenous. A pack of 100 of them attacked an Indian hunting camp on the west shore of Lake Winnipeg, overpowered all resistance, and killed and devoured many Indians. One Indian, with an axe, made a desperate resistance, killing a dozen or so of the beasts, but was finally overpowered. Another Indian climbed a tree, and thus escaped. Some of the Indians climbed on a loft, but the wolves climbed up and devoured them. The Indians are panic-stricken, and are afraid to travel except in large parties.

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NOTICES.

Estate of J. L. Browne,
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IN LIQUIDATION,

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned, will be received up to the 15th February next, for the purchase of the stock-in-trade belonging to the above estate, now in the store situate on Victoria street, Kamloops; a complete list of which can be seen at the office of the News-Advertiser, Vancouver; at the office of the Victoria Colonist, Victoria; or at the office of the undersigned, Kamloops.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Envelopes enclosing tenders to be marked "Tender for purchase of stock, estate J. L. Browne."

For further particulars apply to the undersigned.

WM. H. WHITTAKER, Assignee.
Kamloops, B. C. ja27-td

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the firm of H. Fink & Co., of North Bend, B. C., has been dissolved by mutual consent.

The business will be carried on by Mrs. J. Webb & Co., to whom all debts due must be paid, and who will settle all outstanding accounts against the firm of H. Fink & Co.
North Bend, Jany. 22nd, 1891. ja27

NOTICE.

The Bills of Costs and moneys due to the late firm of Davie & Bodwell are to be paid to Mr. J. C. Bales, of Bastion street, accountant, who is authorized to receive and receipt for the same.

THEODORE DAVIE.
ERNEST V. BODWELL.
December 30, 1890. de31

NOTICE.

I WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR any debts contracted by my wife or any other person on her behalf.

JOHN J. RUSSELL,
Strawberry Vale Farm.
Victoria, Dec. 11, 1890. de18-2m

NOTICE.

DR. DAVIE will be much obliged if all accounts due him are paid by the 20th inst. Also that all accounts due by him are sent in by the same date. ja7-2w

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at its next session, for an Act continuing and extending the time within which the Victoria, Saanich and New Westminster Railway Company may construct its works; also, to reduce the capital stock of the company; and to authorize the building of branches of its railway on the South side of Fraser River to connect Liverpool and New Westminster with the termini of the company's railway at or near Canoe Pass and to Point Roberts Mole; and for other purposes.

YATES & JAY, Applicants' Solicitors.
Victoria, B. C., Jan. 17, 1891. ja18-2m

NOTICE.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

The partnership hitherto existing between William Lyne, and John Lyne and George Evans, under the firm style of Lyne Bros., is hereby dissolved by mutual consent, the said George Evans having retired from the above firm. Wm. Lyne and John Lyne will and do from this date assume all responsibilities and pay all debts due by the above firm, and receive all monies due them.

In witness whereof we have hereto set our hand and seal this 6th day of December, 1890.

(Signed.)
Soda Creek.
Witness:
T. P. REED.
Witness:
R. L. SHAW.

(Signed)
GEORGE EVANS.
WILLIAM LYNE.
JOHN LYNE.
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RAILWAYS.

Esquimalt & Nanaimo R'y

TIME TABLE No. 13,

To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Saturday Oct 11th, 1890. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

GOING NORTH. READ DOWN.					GOING SOUTH. READ UP.	
No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Saturdays and Mondays.	Miles f'm Victoria	STATIONS.	Mls f'm Wellington	No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Saturdays and Mondays.
De 8.00 A.M	De 2.30 P.M		VICTORIA	78	Ar 12.24	Ar 5.58
" 8.04	" 2.34	1	RUSSELL'S, Vic. W	77	" 12.20	" 5.54
" 8.14	" 2.44	4	ESQUIMALT	74	" 12.10 P.M	" 5.44
" 8.39	" 3.09	11	GOLDSTREAM	67	" 11.45	" 5.19
" 9.31	" 4.04	23	SHAWNIGAN L'E	55	" 10.50	" 4.21
" 9.44	" 4.14	31	COBBLE HILL	47	" 10.40	" 4.11
" 9.57	" 4.29	35	McPHERSON'S	43	" 10.27	" 3.59
" 10.07	" 4.39	38	KOKSILAH	40	" 10.17	" 3.49
" 10.12	" 4.44	40	DUNCAN'S	38	" 10.12	" 3.41
" 10.22	" 4.51	43	SOMENOS	35	" 10.02	" 3.34
" 10.48	" 5.16	52	CHEMAINUS	26	" 9.36	" 3.12
Ar 11.50	" 6.14	73	NANAIMO	5	De 8.31	" 2.14
De 11.59					Ar 8.25	
Ar 12.14 P.M	Ar 6.29	78	WELLINGTON		De 8.10 A	De 59 P.M

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Return Tickets will be issued between all points for a single fare, good for return not later than Monday evening.

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Leave Port Townsend	10.00 a.m.
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Leave Tacoma—†8.00 a.m.; 10.00 a.m.; 3.00 p.m.; 5.00 p.m.; *7.45 p.m.
Leave Seattle—5.00 a.m.; 7.30 a.m.; 12.45 p.m.; 3.00 p.m.; 5.30 p.m.

Seattle-Olympia Route.

Lv. Seattle..†5.00 a.m. | Lv. Olympia †2.00 p.m.
Lv. Tacoma. 8.00 a.m. | Lv. Tacoma. 5.00 p.m.
Ar. Olympia †10.30 a.m. | Ar. Seattle...†6.45 p.m
—†Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only. *Daily.

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 30, 1891.

ASTRONOMICAL.

VICTORIA, B. C., Thursday, Jan. 30, 1891.
Sun rises......7:33 a.m. | Sun sets......4:54 p.m.
Moon rises—10.56 p.m.

Day of the month, 30th.

METEOROLOGICAL SERVICE.

THE THERMOMETER.

Report for 24 hours ending 9 p. m.
ESQUIMALT STATION, Jan. 29, 1891.

1 a. m..	40°	Mean	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	41°	42°	
9 a. m..	41°	Highest	5 a.m.—calm.
1 p. m..	45°	46°	1 p.m.—8 miles east.
5 p. m..	43°	Lowest	9 p.m.—4 miles north
9 p. m..	42°	39°	Rain—0.08

Average state of weather—Cloudy.
E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per str. CITY OF SEATTLE from the Sound—L E Post, Mrs Oliver, Father E Demomze, C McConda, C Racine, C Skerda, J M Boyd, H E Cannon, T S Hensley, Japanese, M G McPherson, J E McMillan, J G Cox and daughter, Miss Hilson, H B Scott, J J Kelly, E N Merrill, A A Loston, Jas Tilton, D Brown, Miss Hogan, A Williamson, O Orase, J A Anderson, E E Angel, N L Topkey.

Per str. PRINCESS LOUISE from Westminster Miss Robson, Mrs Barmiler, S Hemans, B F English, Capt Lewis, B Pelcher, R Purdue, C S Brooks, J Graham, J Dunn, J Boye.

Per str. NORTH PACIFIC from the Sound—C Tollosen, Wm Stark, O Baird, Miss Marion, W C Drysdale, W Douglass, W Thompson, E De Humety, W G Blake, F Soderlong, J Scott, S S Drew, S G Cunningham, F A Brewer, G H Scott, H E Levy.

Per Steamer ISLANDER from Vancouver—Peter Steel, sr, Mrs Rockwell, Miss Palmer, W T Marvin, Miss Moore, Miss Lindsay, Mrs Steel, W E Rackwell, T Carter, J A Russell, A H B Macgowan, C S Windsor, G O Louse, M Katzaner, J Coigdarippe, Capt W Rogers, W J McBride.

CONSIGNEES.

Per str. NORTH PACIFIC from the Sound—J H Todd & Son.

Per str. CITY OF SEATTLE from the Sound—Maria Geergia, Turner B & Co, Vaio & B, J Parker, H C Macaulay.

Per Str. PRINCESS LOUISE from Westminster: L Goodacre, Dr Pybus, T Higgins, J Fannin, Tong Lee, V Stard & Co, Kwong Wo Hing Kee, A B Gray & Co, B C Cattle Co, B F English, J R McNeil, Brown Bros, Baker & Son, H Bornstein, Fairall & Barry, T Bennett, Loewen & Erb, G Tollick, C P N Co, T Earle, A J Rowbotham, C Morley.

Per Steamer ISLANDER from Vancouver.—Braden & Stamford, J Lukes, D Campbell, R P Rithet, Shore & Anderson, J C Hayes, John Weiler, Thorsteinn Borgfford, S J Martin, A B Erskine, Mutchinson, M Haskins, F Norris, Victoria Transfer Co, Langley & Co, S Leiser, F G Moody, Ledingham Bros, J Piercy & Co, H Saunders, Dom Exp Co.

DIED.

MILLS—In this city, on the 29th inst., Hula Mills, a native of Tennessee, aged 72 years.

The funeral will take place to-morrow (Saturday), at 2 o'clock, from Hayward's undertaking rooms. Friends are invited to attend.

Coming Events.

COMING consumption is foreshadowed by a hacking cough, night sweats, pain in the chest, etc. Arrest its progress at once by taking Hagyard's Pectoral Balsom, which never fails to cure coughs, colds, bronchitis, hoarseness, etc., and even in confirmed consumption affords great relief.

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INWARDS.

Str. Islander..............from Vancouver.
" North Pacific......... " Port Townsend.
" City of Seattle...... " "
" Walla Walla.......... " "
" Lorne................ " Straits.

OUTWARDS.

Str. Islander............for Vancouver.
" City of Seattle....... " Port Townsend.
" North Pacific......... " "
" Walla Walla........... " San Francisco.
Schr. Penelope.......... " West Coast.
" Carmolite............. " "

LOCAL.

Ger. ship Rud von Bennigsen is 100 days overdue for this port.

Steamer Emma lies at the Rice mills wharf, awaiting orders.

Steamer Lottie has arrived down with salt and coal from Nanaimo, for the schooner E. B. Marvin.

Ship Cabul has gone to Portland.

Steamer City of Kingston will leave dock early next week.

Schooner Penelope left, yesterday morning, for the West Coast.

Schooner Katherine lies at Spratt's wharf, taking on provisions. She expects to leave on Saturday for the West Coast.

Schooner Carmollte left, last night, for the West Coast.

The Mud Lark dredge lies at Spratt's wharf, having some repairs done to her machinery by the Albion Iron Works.

The Thistle is discharging 154 tons of lump coal, for the Victoria gas works, at Spratt's wharf.

The Maude came down from Nanaimo, yesterday morning, with a large cargo of coal, which is being discharged at the C.P.N. wharf.

The Islander brought over an unusually large cargo of miscellaneous freight, last night, among which were one car load of heavy castings for Braden & Stamford, and 360 bags flour for H. Saunders.

Among the Princess Louise's cargo last night were 46 head of cattle for L. Goodacre, 50 bales of hay for J. R. McNeil, and 119 bales of hay for Baker & Son. She takes back with her 700 sheep for Van Volkenburgh, New Westminster.

LITTLE LOCALS.

Baby seals are plentiful at Neah Bay.

The Fee murder trial will open in the Assize court this morning.

A weekly commercial paper will soon commence publication here.

Read THE WEEKLY COLONIST, out to-day. All the news for a bit.

The Steamer City of Seattle brought five carloads of sheep from the Sound last night.

Already the great majority of seats for the Juch nights have been gobbled up.

Waller & Downe have commenced business as sanitary plumbers and gas fitters at 91 Yates street.

Childrens' tea setts at Cheapside.

It is believed that the Crown will not proceed with the prosecution of Joe Silk for complicity in the Fee murder.

The Provincial Land Surveyor's Association held a meeting yesterday afternoon, but disposed of no business of public importance.

Handsome glass tableware, just opened at R. A. Brown & Co's, Douglas street.

For shaving materials, etc., go to Fox's, 78 Government street. tf

McDonald, the jail breaker, was seen at Cedar Hill on Wednesday night. A reward of $25 is offered for his re-capture.

The rehearsal of the charming comic opera La Mascotte, under the direction of Prof. Pferdner, was commenced last evening.

Toilet articles, perfumery, etc., at Jones' drug store, Government street. Dispensing a specialty. 1w

Cheap coal hods at R. A. Brown & Co., Douglas street.

Ling Chong, charged with the larceny of a large number of Chinese silk coats, will be tried under the Speedy Trials Act on Monday next.

Mortimer & Co's grand sale of real estate by auction will be continued to-morrow evening, when the balance of the lots in the Nelson Addition to Port Angeles will be disposed of.

See the 300 candle power and other lamps at R. A. Brown & Co's., Douglas street.

Carving setts and hanging lamps at Cheapside.

The defendants in the case of the United States v. Clouett, Labelle and Raymonds, charged with concealing opium and facilitating its sale, have been acquitted.

Xmas Numbers Sporting and Dramatic and Ladies' Pictorial for sale by T. N. Hibben & Co

Table cutlery, bread plates, table mats, at Fox's, 78 Government street. d14-1m

Last night Sergeant Walker arrested Richard Hill for being drunk on Wharf street, and for carrying concealed weapons.

Make an inquiry about Shannon's Ship Harbor addition to Anacortes. It will repay you.

A nice line of pocket knives, razors, scissors and table cutlery, just opened at Fox's, 78 Government street. tf

Shannon's addition to Anacortes is now placed on the market in Victoria, F. G. Richards, jr., being the agent.

Last night the visitors at the Oriental Hotel had a more than ordinarily enjoyable time as they sat around the stove telling and listening to the racy stories which some of the old timers were telling off, in forcible, if not in the most classic and grammatical language. Lots of fun was the order of the occasion, to which a number of members of the Provincial Parliament, Capt. Rogers of the steamer Dunsmuir, and Capt. H. A. Mellon materially contributed.

KARL KOSCHE, wig maker and hairdresser, takes pleasure in notifying his customers and the public in general, that he is ready for business again. Hair cutting a specialty. No shaving. Mrs. Kosche will attend to the ladies' department. A well selected stock of hair goods and ornaments on hand. Theatrical wigs and beards for hire. 31 Government st., Victoria. ja11-2m

PERSONALS.

B. F. English is in the city.

Mrs. Walkem is very dangerously ill.

J. A. Russell of Vancouver is in the city.

H. Connon of Vancouver is at the Driard.

Oliver Cruise of Seattle is at the Occidental.

Capt. J. G. Cox returned from the Sound last night.

Charles T. Price of Duncan's came down yesterday.

A. C. Stirrett of Calgary is a guest at the Oriental.

Capt. Wm. Rogers of Westminster is at the Oriental

P. Steele and wife returned from the east last evening.

Captain Lewis returned from the Mainland yesterday.

J. J. Fetthousen of Seattle is a guest at the Colonial.

J. L. Beckwith returned from Vancouver last evening.

J. H. Robinson of Vancouver is staying at the Colonial.

Officer Keen of Tacoma returned with his wife last night.

J. Coigdarippe returned from the Mainland last night.

A. H. B. McGowan came over from Vancouver last evening.

Ald. J. W. Horne, M.P.P., returned to Vancouver this morning.

John Cochrane, of Cochrane & Munn, went over the Sound last evening.

W. E. Rockwell and wife, of Tacoma, came over on the Sound steamer last evening.

Thos. Carter of Vancouver came over on the Islander last evening.

W. S. Simpson, J. A. Marion and J. S. Smith of Winnipeg are registered at the Driard.

J. B. Elliott of Ladner's came over on the Islander last evening.

Captain H. A. Mellon of Vancouver returned to the Mainland this morning.

Mrs. Parmalee and Miss Robson were passengers by the Louise from Westminster yesterday.

W. E. Cannon, E. H. Merill and J. A. Anderson came over from the Sound last evening by the City of Seattle.

R. Brodrick has gone to San Francisco for his health; his son R. Brodrick, jr., returned to college by the same steamer.

J. E. Boss, vice-president and manager of the Northwestern Sampling and Milling Co. Spokane Falls is at the Driard.

Among the Islander's passengers this morning are J. Marshall & Son, R. H. Hall, M.P.P., Bishop and Mrs. Sillitoe, J. C. Brown, M.P.P., H. E. Connon, Hon. A. N. Richards, and Capt. Pittendrigh.

R. P. McLennan, of McLennan & McFeeley, returned last night from Vancouver, where he had been buying goods from agents who refuse to visit Victoria on account of the $50 license.

Rev. Father Demonay, of Seattle, arrived in town, last night, on financial business in connection with his pastoral work. He has for some years been actively engaged in hospital work, and lately, in recognition of his services, a church was built for him. However, he did not see his way clear to sever his connection with the hospital, and, in consequence, his church has been taken hold of by the Redemptorist Fathers.

Suit Over a Court-house Site.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 29.—Rumor has it that a claim for $150,000 is in the hands of a lawyer against the site of the nearly completed new court-house. The claim alleges that the property was deeded to the county for educational purposes, and if it should be used for other purposes at any time it should revert to the original owner. Mrs. Bell was the granter and the heir is now Mrs. Stoddard, the wife of a brakeman of the Southern Pacific.

Valentines, T. N. Hibben & Co.

We are in receipt of a fresh stock of Valentines, T. N. Hibben & Co.

MISCELLANEOUS.

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In view of the low rate of interest given by the Dominion Savings Bank Department, and the restrictions imposed as to the amount to be deposited, this Company is now prepared to receive money on deposit, in large or small amounts, at interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, and on favorable terms as to notice, etc.

The offices of the Company have been removed to 40 Government street, the premises lately occupied by the Telegraph Company.

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WANTS.

WANTED—To purchase some iron water tanks, about four feet square. Apply "S. T." this office. j29-1wk

WANTED—To purchase a quiet carriage horse, suitable for a family. Apply, giving full particulars, "A. G.," this office. j29-6t

WANTED—A boy as apprentice to Wholesale Dry Goods. Must be strong and intelligent. Apply at this office. ja27

MANAGING CLERK WANTED—Must be a good Accountant and Conveyancer, and have a thorough knowledge of the routine of a Real Estate business. Salary and commission. Also two out door Clerks on salary and commission. Apply Routledge & Co., Government Street. ja27-tf

WANTED—A lady and little girl wish to get two unfurnished rooms and use of kitchen, in a respectable house. Central part of city. Address X.Y., COLONIST Office. ja25-1m

WANTED TO RENT for a few months, a Safe, either new or second hand. Address "M.," P. O. Box 549. ja24-3t

WANTED—By a lady, situation as Cashier, or for general office work. References given. Address "Cashier," COLONIST office. ja23-6t

WANTED—By a married man a position as gardener, or to take care of horses and cows. Thoroughly understands farming, fruit culture and stock raising. Good references if required. Apply "G. T.," COLONIST office. ja4-1m

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FOR SALE—160 acres first-class land, half a mile from McPherson's Station, between 55 and 60 acres cleared and seeded down in Timothy. Good creek, houses, and plenty of fruit. Apply to PETER HENNESSY. ja18-1m

ONE or two comfortable furnished rooms to let, handy to town, 202 Fort St. ja11-1m

TO LET—Furnished front bedroom, centrally situated, in pleasant locality. Address P. O. Box 359. ja16-1m

TO LET—Two large sunny bedrooms, nicely furnished, hot and cold water baths, near Birdcage Walk, one block from streetcars. Apply S., COLONIST office. ja10

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STRAYED

ON to the premises of the undersigned, on the 8th of Oct., 1890, a horse; light chestnut with white stripes on face and two white feet. Owner can have same by paying expenses. If not claimed within 15 days will be sold by public auction. MICHAEL FINNERTY,
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